

# INSTRUCTIONS



FOOD PROCESSORS

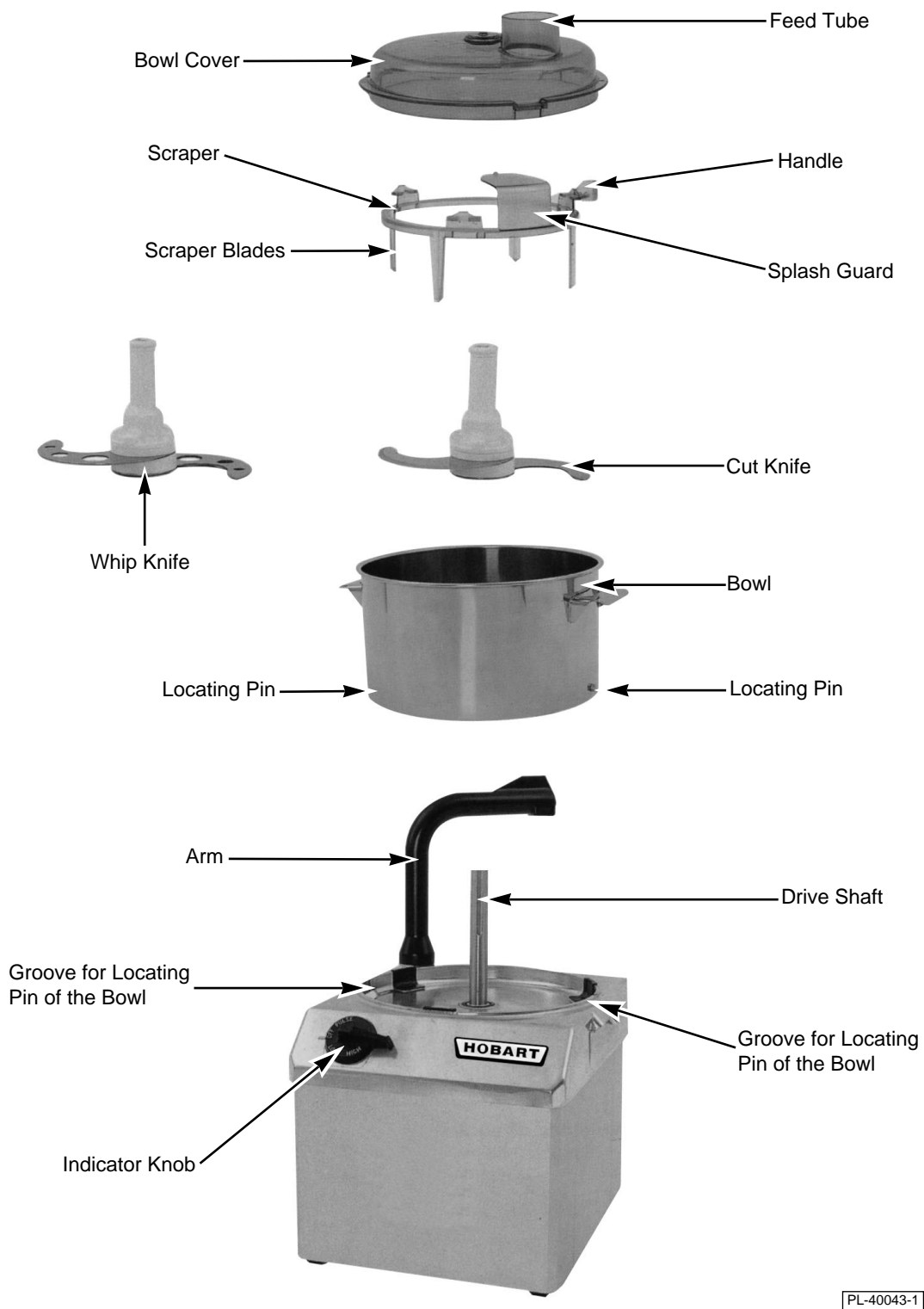
## MODEL FP41, FP61, & FP62 FOOD PROCESSORS

### MODELS

FP41	ML-104345
FP61	ML-104346
FP62	ML-104347



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# **Installation, Operation and Care of MODELS FP41, FP61 & FP62 FOOD PROCESSORS**

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### **GENERAL**

The Model FP41, FP61 and FP62 Food Processors may be used for:

- Chopping and grinding meat, fish, fruits and vegetables
- Mixing sauces, aromatic butter, mayonnaise and soups
- Grinding nuts, almonds and bread crumbs
- Kneading and mixing dough
- Pureeing

Model FP41 is equipped with a 4-quart bowl. Models FP61 and FP62 are equipped with a 6-quart bowl. Models FP41 and FP61 are single speed; Model FP62 has a high and low speed. All models have a separate pulse function.

Standard equipment includes one cut/mix knife, a spatula, and a bowl scraper with turnable splash guard. Optional equipment includes a whip knife, and additional bowls and knives. Also available as an option is a 4-quart bowl adapter kit for Models FP61 and FP62. The adapter kit includes a 4-quart bowl, adapter ring, cut knife, bowl cover and bowl scraper.

### **INSTALLATION**

#### **UNPACKING**

Immediately after unpacking the food processor, check for possible shipping damage. If the food processor is found to be damaged, save the packaging material and contact the carrier within 15 days of delivery.

Prior to installation, verify that the electrical service agrees with the specifications on the data plate located on the back of the machine.

Do not lift the food processor by the arm; lift only with the carrying handles located on either side.

#### **LOCATION**

Your food processor should be operated on a suitable counter height surface.

#### **ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS**

**WARNING:** THE POWER SUPPLY CORD ON THIS MACHINE IS PROVIDED WITH A THREE-PRONG GROUNDING PLUG (4-PRONG GROUNDING PLUG ON MODEL FP62). THE OUTLET TO WHICH THIS PLUG IS CONNECTED MUST BE PROPERLY GROUNDED. IF THE RECEPTACLE IS NOT THE PROPER GROUNDING TYPE, CONTACT AN ELECTRICIAN.

Rated voltage of Models FP41 and FP61 is 115/60/1; rated voltage of Model FP62 is 240/60/3.

## **SETTING UP**

1. Lift the arm up and then rotate it as far back as it will go.
2. Place the bowl on the machine so that the locating pins of the bowl are inserted into the grooves in the bowl recess on top of the machine, push bowl all the way down to the base and rotate counterclockwise slightly to lock in position.
3. Place the cut knife (or optional whip knife) on the drive shaft at the center of the bowl and make sure that the knife drops all the way down to the bottom of the bowl.
4. Place the scraper in the bowl with its splash guard positioned at 6 o'clock.
5. Place the bowl cover on the bowl with the arrow on the bowl cover pointing toward the handle of the scraper, and press the bowl cover down gently until the scraper and bowl cover snap together.
6. Lift the arm, and at the same time, swing it over the bowl cover. Lower the arm over the center of the bowl cover to secure it in position.

The machine will not operate unless the bowl and bowl cover are correctly positioned and the arm is in position above the center of the bowl cover.

## **CHECK MACHINE**

Once the machine is set up, check to ensure that:

1. Cutting blades stop turning within 4 seconds when the arm is swung back away from the center of the bowl cover.
2. The machine cannot be started with the bowl and bowl cover removed but with the arm swung into position above the center of the drive shaft.

If either of these conditions occur, contact your local Hobart Service Office.

## **INSTALLING 4-QUART ADAPTER KIT ON MODELS FP61 OR FP62**

1. Remove the 6-quart bowl from the machine (see REMOVING BOWL in this manual).
2. Fit 4-quart adapter ring into the bowl recess on top of the machine and rotate adapter ring counterclockwise to lock in place.
3. Place 4-quart bowl on the machine inside the adapter ring. Place bowl so that the locating pins of the bowl are inserted into the grooves in the bowl recess inside the adapter ring. Push bowl all the way down to the base and rotate counterclockwise slightly to lock in position.
4. Place the 4-quart cut knife on the drive shaft at the center of the bowl and make sure that the knife drops all the way down to the bottom of the bowl.
5. Place the 4-quart scraper in the bowl with its splash guard positioned at 6 o'clock.
6. Place the 4-quart bowl cover on the bowl with the arrow on the bowl cover pointing toward the handle of the scraper. Press the bowl cover down gently until the scraper and bowl cover snap together.
7. Lift the arm, and at the same time, swing it over the bowl cover. Lower the arm over the center of the bowl cover to secure it in position.

# OPERATION

**WARNING:** ROTATING KNIVES INSIDE MACHINE. KEEP HANDS OUT.

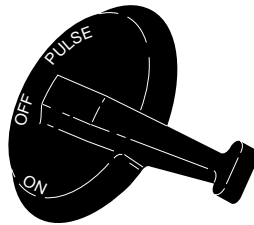
## BEFORE FIRST USE

Before using for the first time, wash all removable parts of the food processor in warm soapy water. The cutting blade is very sharp; be very careful when cleaning the cutting blade. Rinse thoroughly and wipe dry with a soft clean cloth.

## INDICATOR KNOB — MODELS FP41 AND FP61 (Fig. 1)

The indicator knob for Models FP41 and FP61 has three positions:

- OFF — machine is switched off.
- ON — machine runs continuously.
- PULSE — machine runs until the indicator knob is released. Use the PULSE setting for short processing tasks in which a precise result is required.



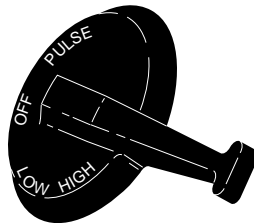
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Fig. 1

## INDICATOR KNOB — MODEL FP62 (Fig. 2)

The indicator knob for Model FP62 has four positions:

- OFF — machine is switched off.
- LOW SPEED — machine runs continuously at low speed.
- HIGH SPEED — machine runs continuously at high speed.
- PULSE — machine runs at low speed until the indicator knob is released. Use the PULSE setting for short processing tasks in which a precise result is required.



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Fig. 2

## **USE OF CUT OR WHIP KNIFE**

The cut knife and whip knife are manufactured using high quality knife steel to give a keen cutting edge and effective cutting action. Never leave this type of knife in a wet condition when not in use and never place it on a stainless steel worktop.

Use the cut knife when meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, etc., are to be cut, pulverized and blended. Use the cut knife also for grinding nuts and bread crumbs, and kneading/mixing dough.

Use the whip knife when the product(s) are to be blended only, for example: sauces, aromatic butter, mayonnaise and soups. If the action of the whip knife is sluggish because of the consistency of the product, try using the cut knife instead.

## **SCRAPER**

The scraper will remove product (e.g., minced meat) which has stuck to the sides of the bowl and return it to the cutting zone during processing. It can also be used to stir/mix products which do not stick to the sides. The scraper has four blades so it is only necessary to move it through a quarter turn to scrape the entire internal surface of the bowl. To move the scraper, grasp the handle and rotate it either clockwise or counterclockwise until it reaches the stop. The scraper should be fitted at all times since the blades of the scraper guide the product toward the cut knife even when the scraper is not activated.

## **FEED TUBE**

A splashguard is fitted to the scraper. Rotate the scraper in order to open or close the feed tube. The machine will operate with the feed tube open.

## **PREPARING THE PRODUCT**

For the best and most consistent results, cut firm products such as meat and cheese into pieces of equal size no larger than 1" cube.

When processing dry product (e.g. bread crumbs), place product into the bowl first, turn the machine on, then add liquid ingredients.

When pureeing, be sure to rotate scraper to get all liquid off the sides of the bowl and back into the cutting zone.

## **OPERATING THE FOOD PROCESSOR**

1. Assemble components as described in Steps 1-4 in the SETTING UP section of this manual.
2. Add product. Refer to CAPACITY CHART in this manual.
3. Follow Steps 5 and 6 in the SETTING UP section of this manual.
4. For best results, use the pulse setting a few times at the beginning of the processing operation to cut product into smaller pieces. Then set the indicator knob to the desired setting.

## **REMOVING BOWL**

Always leave the cut/whip knife in the bowl when moving it so that the contents do not leak out through the tube in the center of the bowl. To remove bowl, lift the arm slightly and rotate it to the rear to clear the bowl. Rotate bowl slightly clockwise to unlock bowl locating pins from base, and lift bowl from machine.

## CAPACITY CHART

The maximum quantity that can be processed at one time and the length of time required for the processing are dependent on the consistency of the product and the kind of result desired. Shorter processing times give a coarser end result, and longer processing times a finer one.

The chart below shows the maximum quantity that can be processed at one time and the approximate processing time for various types of product.

PRODUCT	MODEL FP41 (OR MODELS FP61/62 WITH 4-QT. ADAPTER)		MODELS FP61/62	
	QTY.	TIME	QTY.	TIME
<b>Mince, Slice, Chop</b> Onions/Carrots Mozzarella Cheese	2 Lb. 2 Lb.	20 Sec. 20 Sec.	3 Lb. 3 Lb.	20 Sec. 20 Sec.
<b>Meats</b> Fresh Cooked Salmon Mousse Steak Tatar	2 Lb. 3 Lb. 2½ Lb. 2 Lb.	30 Sec. 30 Sec. 30 Sec. 30 Sec.	3 Lb. 4½ Lb. 3½ Lb. 3 Lb.	30 Sec. 30 Sec. 30 Sec. 30 Sec.
<b>Miscellaneous</b> Dough Bread Crumbs Parmesan Cheese (fine) Aromatic Butter Mayonnaise Tomato Sauce Liquid	3 Lb. 1 Lb. 1 Lb. 3 Lb. 1¾ Qt. 1½ Qt. 1 Qt.	1 Min. 10 Sec. 1 Min. 30 Sec. 35 Sec. 20 Sec. 0	4 Lb. 1½ Lb. 1½ Lb. 4 Lb. 2½ Qt. 1¾ Qt. 1¼ Qt.	1 Min. 10 Sec. 1 Min. 30 Sec. 35 Sec. 20 Sec. 0

## CLEANING

**WARNING:** TURN MACHINE OFF AND UNPLUG THE POWER SUPPLY CORD BEFORE CLEANING.

Always clean the machine immediately after use. If leftovers are allowed to dry on the machine, cleaning becomes difficult.

Never use steel wool or sharp objects during cleaning of the machine; the surfaces can be scratched, making subsequent cleaning difficult.

Never use high pressure hosing equipment for cleaning, since it can result in electrical or mechanical damage.

Dismantle all removable parts from the machine and wash them in warm water and detergent. Rinse thoroughly and wipe dry with a soft clean cloth.

Wipe the exterior of the machine with a damp cloth.

# MAINTENANCE

**WARNING:** TURN MACHINE OFF AND UNPLUG THE POWER SUPPLY CORD BEFORE DOING ANY MAINTENANCE.

Inspect the machine weekly to ensure that it is in proper working order. Fit the cut knife or whip knife and then check the following:

1. The machine stops within 4 seconds after the arm has been swung away from the center of the bowl cover.
2. The machine cannot be started with the bowl removed and the arm swung into position above the center of the bowl cover.
3. Unplug the power supply cord and check to make sure that it is in good condition with no cracks or cuts.
4. The blades of the cut knife are in good condition and have a sharp cutting edge.

If a problem occurs, contact your local Hobart Service Office before operating the machine.

# TROUBLESHOOTING

PROBLEM	CAUSE	REMEDY
Machine won't start.	Fuse or circuit breaker interrupting power.	Have electrician check circuit.
	Bowl not in place.	Make sure bowl locating pins are in proper position in the grooves on the bowl recess, and the bowl is seated on the base and locked in position.
	Arm not in position over center of bowl cover.	Lift arm and rotate to center of bowl cover. Lower arm over center of bowl cover to secure it in position.
	Machine not plugged in.	Plug machine into electrical outlet.
Machine stops while operating and won't restart.	Motor overloaded.	Allow motor to cool; motor will restart when it has cooled.
	Fuse or circuit breaker interrupting power.	Have electrician check circuit.